## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

1. (Original) A method of creating an image file of target information to be additionally written in an information recording medium, comprising:

a first step of creating image data of the target information;

a second step of obtaining identification information of the information recording medium; and

a third step of creating an image file having the image data in association with the identification information.

- 2. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the identification information includes at least one of physical information and logical information possessed by the information recording medium.
- 3. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 2, wherein the identification information includes the physical information, and said physical information includes at least one of disk specific information, session information and track information.
- 4. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 3, wherein the physical information includes the disk specific information, and said disk specific information includes a disk ID.
- 5. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 3, wherein the physical information includes the track information, and said track information includes at least one of a number of recorded tracks and track lengths of the recorded tracks.
- 6. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 2, wherein the identification information includes the logical information, and said logical information includes at

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least one of volume information and file system information of the information recording medium.

7. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 6, wherein the logical information includes the volume information, and said volume information includes primary volume descriptor information.

- 8. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the image file further includes the identification information.
- 9. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the third step creates management information to indicate a correspondence between the identification information and the image file.
- 10. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a fourth step of storing the image file created in the third step.
- 11. (Original) A method of additionally writing image data included in an image file in an information recording medium, comprising:

a first step of obtaining identification information of the information recording medium;

a second step of determining whether the identification information of the information recording medium and identification information associated with the image file are the same; and

a third step of, only if the identification information of the information recording medium and the identification information associated with the image file are

the same based on the determination, additionally writing the image data included in the image file in the information recording medium.

12. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 11, wherein the image file is created in a method of creating an image file of target information to be additionally written in an information recording medium, the method comprising: a first step of creating image data of the target information; a second step of obtaining identification information of the information recording medium; and a third step of creating an image file having the image data in association with the identification information.

## 13. (Canceled)

14. (Currently Amended) The program as claimed in claim 13, wherein the procedure further comprises:

A program stored in a computer readable medium to cause an information processing device to execute a procedure, the procedure comprising:

a first step of, in response to a request to create an image file, creating image data of target information to be recorded in an information recording medium;

a second step of obtaining identification information of the information recording medium;

a third step of creating an image file having the image data in association with the identification information;

a fourth step of, in response to a request to additionally write the image file in the information recording medium, obtaining identification information of an information recording medium;

a fifth step of determining whether the identification information of the information recording medium and the identification information associated with the image file are the same; and

a sixth step of, only if the identification information of the information recording medium and the identification information associated with the image file are the same based on the determination, additionally writing the image data included in the image file in the information recording medium.

15. (Canceled)

16. (Currently Amended) The recording medium as claimed in claim 15, wherein the procedure further comprises:

A recording medium for storing a program to cause an information processing device to execute a procedure, the procedure comprising:

a first step of, in response to a request to create an image file, creating image data of target information to be recorded in an information recording medium;

a second step of obtaining identification information of the information recording medium;

a third step of creating an image file having the image data in association with the identification information;

a fourth step of, in response to a request to additionally write the image file in the information recording medium, obtaining identification information of an information recording medium;

a fifth step of determining whether the identification information of the information recording medium and the identification information associated with the image file are the same; and

a sixth step of, only if the identification information of the information recording medium and the identification information associated with the image file are the same based on the determination, additionally writing the image data included in the image file in the information recording medium.

17. (Original) An information recording system for recording information in an information recording medium, comprising:

an information processing device having a file creation part, in response to a request to create an image file of target information to be additionally written in an information recording medium, creating an image file including image data of the target information in association with identification information of the information recording medium; and

an information recording device, in response to a recording request from the information processing device, recording the target information in the information recording medium.

18. (Original) The information recording system as claimed in claim 17, wherein the information processing device further comprises:

a determination part, in response to a request to additionally write the image file in an information recording medium, determining whether identification information of the information recording medium and the identification information associated with the image file are the same; and

an additionally write request part, only if the identification information of the information recording medium and the identification information associated with the image file are the same based on the determination, requesting the information recording medium to additionally write the image file in the information recording medium.

- 19. (Original) The information recording system as claimed in claim 17, wherein the image file further includes the identification information.
- 20. (Original) The information recording system as claimed in claim 17, further comprising:

a storage device; and

a storing part storing the image file created by the file creation part in the storage device.

- 21. (Original) The information recording system as claimed in claim 20, wherein the storing part stores management information to indicate a correspondence between the identification information and the image file in the storage device.
- 22. (Original) The information recording system as claimed in claim 17, wherein the identification information includes at least one of physical information and logical information possessed by the information recording medium.
- 23. (Original) The information recording system as claimed in claim 17, wherein the information recording device multisession records the target information in the information recording medium.

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